FISCAL NOTE

HB 2113 - SB 2030

May 12, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates, subject to local approval, an additional Court of General Sessions in Loudon County and the judge shall have original jurisdiction over all probate, domestic and juvenile matters. The additional judge shall have concurrent jurisdiction with existing Court of General Sessions over all civil and criminal jurisdiction prescribed by general law for judges of general sessions.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$126,000 Recurring/Permissive \$12,000 One-Time/Permissive

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Exceeds \$100,000/Permissive

Estimate assumes:

- local government expenditures to include the costs of salary for a general sessions judge of the second class, staff, and operational costs.
- state expenditures include the salaries and operational costs and one-time start-up costs for one assistant district attorney general and one assistant public defender to provide services to the court in criminal matters.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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